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Title of Invention: system & Method for Providing electronic multi-merchant Gift certificate  
e contribution Brokerage Services over a Distributed Network

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① A system, apparatus, and <sup>electronic</sup> gift certificate service  
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